

## HUMBERT MADE MANAGER OF COMPANY

**GEOLOGIST IS EXPECTED  
TO FURNISH SURVEY OF  
GREEN MONSTER PROP-  
ERTY IN 2 WEEKS.**

(From Thursday's Daily.)

The geological survey of the big green mining gamble in Northern Arizona, the Green Monster property, is well under way and the geologist in charge is expected to submit his final report to the board of directors within the next two weeks, according to W. S. Humbert, of Phoenix, secretary and general manager of the Green Monster company, who arrived in Prescott yesterday.

Upon this report and the action taken following its receipt by the mining committee of the company, the eyes of the financial and mining world will be glued, eagerly watching for the wonderful developments that are expected to follow the "mile-a-minute" financing of the property during the last two weeks.

"Green Monster is nothing but a gamble," said Humbert last night. "We do not promise that there is a single pound of ore on our claims. To all who have purchased or sought to purchase stock, we have guaranteed only that every dollar received will be used in an honest and intelligent effort to develop the huge copper deposits that we, ourselves, believe to be on our property."

"The demand for Green Monster stock has been marvelous. I have seen mines financed in a short time, but I have never seen anything that comes anywhere equalling the rapidity with which the Green Monster stock was taken up. We are over-subscribed just 1,000,000 shares, and one of the hardest tasks confronting us is that of cutting down the requests for stock, and distributing what we have proportionately among those who have subscribed. The list will be checked up and we hope to be able to deliver the stock in a very short time."

"As soon as the geologist finishes his work, we will know where to start operations. The first work will be the construction of roads. This will be followed immediately by the installation of machinery. The geologist has been instructed to take his time, and to spare neither money nor effort to make a complete and reliable survey of the property. We can not say positively what is underneath our ground. For that reason we issued the stock only in blocks of 1,000 shares each. We did not want the orphans and widows to invest their life-savings in Green Monster. It is a gamble, and we only ask those who are willing to take a chance in a gamble to buy the stock."

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Green Monster company at Jerome Tuesday night, Le Roy Anderson resigned as secretary of the company. He will continue as general counsel and attorney and as a member of the board of directors. Humbert was elected to fill the position of secretary and was named general manager of the company.

Anderson has been enthusiastic enough over Green Monster for weeks, but after his visit to the property Tuesday and his attendance at the meeting of the board of directors, his enthusiasm knew no bounds when he returned to Prescott yesterday.

"Green Monster has the biggest bunch of ore I have ever seen," he said. "I think Green Monster stock will be worth from \$4 to \$6 within a few months. The stock pool will not be dissolved for 60 or 90 days, as we do not want Green Monster bought only for purposes of speculation. We are going to develop the property with every dollar received."

"We have the best management and talent of any mining company in Arizona. When you consider that such men as Will L. Clark, Dave Morgan, Neill Bailey, Tally, Hopkins, Taylor, Humbert and Drake are associated with our property, it can be seen that we are going to start out with men in charge of the work who know what they are doing, and are going to do their best."

The list of subscribers to Green Monster stock resembles a list of the leading bank directors of the country. From every part of the United States certified checks have been pouring in ever since the announcement that the stock would be issued. It has been positively the most remarkable subscription I have ever seen or heard of and now, that the company is financed, it is going to go ahead and find out whether or not Green Monster has the richest mineral deposits in the northern part of the State."

### DESTRUCTIVE BEAST

(From Sunday's Daily.)

J. A. Stapp was an arrival yesterday from Skull Valley, and stated a huge mountain lion was occasioning alarm to cattlemen of that country, seven head of yearling steers being killed in one week on the range. Live-stock owners have adopted the plan to run down the beast with dogs, and daily hunts are going on.

## FRONTIER DAYS ARE BOOSTED IN MAGAZINE

(From Friday's Daily.)

The necessary subscriptions having been guaranteed to cover the expense in bringing the seven-day Chautauqua to Prescott, the report of the Chautauqua committee, H. H. Linney, chairman, was accepted at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce held last evening. This means that Prescott will have a splendid line of entertainment during the month of July. The Chautauqua committee will render a definite report at the next regular meeting as to the price at which the season tickets will be set. Mr. Linney stated last evening that it will take the support of every individual and civic organization in Prescott to make the Chautauqua a success, so that the burden will not be borne by a few. It is expected that the Monday Club will lend considerable aid in disposing of the season tickets.

With reference to house bill No. 11,068, introduced by Congressman Hayden, providing for the advance of funds to survey, construct, and maintain roads and trails within any State or the Territory of Alaska within which national forests are located, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, by the Yavapai County Chamber of Commerce, that H. R. No. 11,068, introduced in congress by Hon. Carl Hayden, representative from Arizona, be and the same is hereby endorsed and approved, and its passage recommended;

"Further resolved, that the senators and representatives from Arizona be furnished with copies of this resolution, and that they be urged to use all proper and lawful means to secure the passage of said bill at an early date."

For the mining committee, Vice-Chairman Gilmore stated that due to the publicity given the mining campaign by the Journal-Miner and Courier, that the prospectors were responding in good shape and that it would be but a short time before the lists would be ready for publication. The attention of the prospectors and mine owners has been directed to this plan for some time and it is very probable that the lists will be sent to the printer about the first of May. Specimens continue to come in for the mining exhibit and the mining committee, as well as the chamber, is very desirous that as complete an exhibit as possible be installed and ready for display when the new quarters are occupied in the court house.

The membership committee reported progress and submitted the name of E. F. Bowers, he being elected a member unanimously.

Two new arrivals from the Chamber of Commerce mailing list were reported by the secretary.

Considerable good publicity has been given Prescott and particularly the Frontier Days, by a short story written by Harold Titus and published in the Adventure magazine for May. Mr. Titus spent several vacations in Prescott and has given this story much local color. The following with reference to Frontier Days is of interest to local citizens:

"Prescott's Frontier Day is probably the one best bet of all the Western rider and roper carnivals. It is a community institution, put on by men who are proud of the place in which they live, and into it they have injected their best efforts. To make it a big show the organization has combed the Southwest for bad horses; it has snared the worst unbroken beasts that run over malpais, and the best riders have been induced to come and try these outlaws. From as far as Oklahoma, Montana and the Pacific Coast they are enlisted."

## SOUTHERN YAVAPAI MINES AWAKENING

(From Sunday's Daily.)

Leonard White, for many years a mining operator of Southern Yavapai, in the Constellation field, is in the city, and gives an excellent report of general conditions, incidental to many old mines being on the active list again, engineers swarming over the country, and several deals pending.

He said: "From Octave on the western limits of the big mineralized belt, to as far east as the Hassayampa river, of over 15 miles, and south to include the Constellation section, there is a lively movement going on. It is difficult to individualize all propositions. However, the Black Rock Limited, recently sold to a Canadian syndicate, is occasioning attention for the method of starting up, on a big line of deep development. The main shaft is being sunk to a depth of 500 feet, and the work is now being rapidly rushed ahead. This movement is bringing in new investors, from the good showing made, and other camps are arranging to start up. The mining wave is ready to hit us also."

## CORTEZ ARRAIGNED ON MURDER CHARGE

(From Friday's Daily.)

Estanislado Cortez was arraigned in the Superior court yesterday on a charge of murder and his case was continued until 10 a. m., April 17th, when he will enter his plea. Cortez is alleged to have shot and killed one Ramon Salazar on Hurst's ranch, Cottonwood, October 20, 1915.

Following a coroner's inquest he was released, but later, evidence which is said to indicate that he was implicated in the affair was found, and he was taken into custody. He is now held in the county jail.

## MASS MEETING WILL CHOOSE DELEGATES

(From Saturday's Daily.)

A mass meeting of Republicans from every part of Yavapai county will be held in Prescott, April 22, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the State convention at Tucson, May 6th.

This was decided upon last night, at a meeting of the Republican County Central Committee, as the most favorable method of ascertaining just who the Republicans of Yavapai county want to represent them at Tucson. The meeting will be held in Odd Fellows' hall at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. This will allow residents of outlying communities to motor or drive to Prescott, attend the meeting, and return to their homes the same day, if they desire to do so.

Notices will be sent to every committeeman in the county, urging him to attend the meeting.

If the enthusiasm shown at the meeting last night counts for anything, Yavapai county will be well represented at the Tucson convention. Every member of the committee present, and half a dozen who were not members, were confident that the delegates from this county will be the best men possible to decide on a ticket that will insure an honorable government for both the nation and the State—for a change.

Every person interested in the principles of good government, whether a Republican or not, is urged to attend the mass meeting.

## \$25,000 A YEAR FOR THIS BOY TO SPEND

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Prescott will soon have as a resident one of the youngest members of the celebrated Harry K. Tnaw family, who at present is in the Oatman country, his mother being formerly Mrs. Frieda Marsh-Thaw-Young, of New York City. This young man of only 17 years, Lawrence C. Thaw, has been designated as the legatee of the big estate of his mother, and under an order of the Surrogate court of New York City, is allowed to spend \$25,000 a year for his education and maintenance. Thaw is the son of Edward T. Thaw, who is a half brother of Harry K. Thaw. The lad's mother divorced Thaw in 1905, and married Frederick E. Young, of Oatman. Mrs. Young died in 1915, leaving a will in which she cut off both her first and second husbands, making her son chief legatee. Young has since filed notice of contest.

Young Thaw is in Oatman, and is arranging his affairs to spend a part of the summer in this county. It is estimated the youth will spend the money in this manner to consume the sum set aside for his personal uses:

Rent	\$ 5,000
Household	12,000
Education	1,500
Clothing	1,200
Automobile	3,500
Incidentals	1,800
Total	\$25,000

## ANOTHER GOOD MINING WEEK CLOSES

(From Sunday's Daily.)

When the recorder's office was closed last night, the books showed that the last week was another banner one for the mining industry in Yavapai county. A total of 82 mining location notices were filed, 27 of them yesterday.

Articles of incorporation for the Shea Copper Company were filed yesterday. The incorporators are D. J. Shea and J. P. Connolly, of Jerome. The company will issue 1,500,000 shares at the par value of 50 cents each. The principal place of business will be at Jerome. Until a regular election of stockholders, the board of directors will consist of Shea, Connolly and Nathan Shutz.

H. K. Behn filed a United States patent for the Arroyo Lode mining claim, in the Big Bug district.

A deed for the transfer of improved property in Jerome from Anna L. and C. V. Hopkins to Effie G. and Mary I. Wingfield, was also filed. The consideration was \$1,200.

## MINE CAMP THIEVES TO BE ROUNDED UP

(From Sunday's Daily.)

In order to protect the personal property interests of scores of small mine operators in the Senator field, the board of supervisors has confirmed the appointment made recently by Sheriff Young, of Thomas Marmon, as a special deputy sheriff, who will have jurisdiction over certain territory to be known hereafter as Crook Canyon district.

This official action follows from the frequency of petty robberies during the past year. Clothing, food, small articles and other supplies have been reported as lost, until in the aggregate several hundred dollars in property has been missing. In some cases willful destruction has been reported.

### GOOD REPORT

(From Sunday's Daily.)

L. L. Bates, superintendent of the State experimental farm, in Lonesome valley, was a brief visitor on business yesterday and reported dry crops as attaining better headway than at this time last year, due to early and heavy rains. All products are now assured the highest record in production ever known since this institution has been established.

## LING ANSWERS THE CALL OF HIS MAKER

**DYING REQUEST MADE TO  
FRIENDS IS THAT HE BE  
BURIED AT HIS OLD  
HOME, PRESCOTT.**

(From Thursday's Daily.)

Reese M. Ling, well known lawyer and politician, died early yesterday morning in Phoenix, following an illness of only 18 hours' duration. The malady which resulted in his demise was an acute case of indigestion.

Ling represented the pioneer element in this generation, coming to Arizona over a third of a century ago when a boy of less than 16 years of age. His indomitable will, which so strongly asserted itself in later years, was strikingly shown in his efforts to gain an education. He attended the public schools of this city, and later graduated from the Tempe Normal. Then with a determination to climb higher, he entered the Michigan law school, from which he started his legal career. Ling started from the bottom of life's long ladder, and reached the top. After embarking on his professional career he was elected district attorney of this county, serving until the close of 1900. In the meantime his legal ability was recognized by his appointment as city attorney, of Prescott, serving in that capacity for four years. His prominence as an attorney, and his popularity as a citizen, threw him into political channels, in which he struggled and lost his fight for the nomination for U. S. senator. He was affiliated with fraternal associations and was a past chancellor of the local lodge of Knights of Pythias, as well as a member of the Elks of this city. He was a native of Ohio, and aged 49 years. When his life was fast ebbing away, he made a farewell request to those at his side to take his remains back to Prescott to be laid away amid scenes he knew as a boy. He is survived by his widow, who arrives today from Los Angeles, and two sons, one of whom resides at Phoenix, and other being assistant to the county attorney of Greenlee county, this State.

## FINAL TRIBUTE IS PAID WORTHY ARIZONAN

**REESE M. LING IS LAID  
AWAY YESTERDAY IN  
THE CITY HE KNEW AND  
LOVED SO WELL.**

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Complying with the last request made by Reese M. Ling, a few minutes before his death occurred in Phoenix during the week, his remains were brought to Prescott yesterday afternoon by a number of friends, and he was laid away in the Citizens' cemetery by the side of his mother, Mrs. Mary Bowen, who passed away several years ago.

His earthly career closed amidst sincere expressions of profound sorrow, as the past was reviewed and the present was grasped in the long life in this community in which this struggling youth endured and attained in the end the good will of all.

The Elks assumed direct charge of burial, and the order was assisted by religious rites by Rev. Raaf, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, with which the family of the deceased had been identified for over a third of a century. One beautiful feature of the sad occasion was the very large attendance and the generous offerings of flowers, which represented tokens of friends from many Arizona cities and from hundreds of people.

Mrs. Ling accompanied the remains from Phoenix, and with her were her three sons, David, Perry and Harry Ling. Phoenix friends in attendance included H. M. Maus, Vice-Hannay, J. C. Callaghan, Ed. A. Sawyer, Leon Jacobs, George Purdy Bullard, Walter Brawner, James Girard, and others.

On the arrival of the train, the remains were met by a large number of Elks of Prescott, and escorted to the Methodist church, where they laid in state. Religious ceremonies followed, and at the grave the burial ritual of the Elks closed the earthly career of one who was so well known and so well liked by the many here and elsewhere throughout the State.

In behalf of the Elks, Judge F. O. Smith delivered an eulogy over their reported brother. In part he said:

**Judge Smith's Eulogy.**  
The sad shock of Time's tragedy unites us in a common bond of sympathy and sorrow this afternoon. Yesterday Reese M. Ling clasped our hands in friendship, and today he has crossed the valley to the un-

known land beyond the pathless mountains. So swiftly has he passed from us that we cannot realize our loss, and only as we travel onward and miss his cheerful presence from day to day, shall we come to know that we can hear his happy laughter and see his smiling face only in the halls of memory.

The Exalted Ruler of the Universe called him from us early. His feet never grew weary on the hills. Old Age waiting for him in the shadow of the years will never reach out ruthless hands to dim his eyes, whiten his hair, and lead him tottering from the busy course of life to some deserted and lonely corner to await the final call of Time.

Reese M. Ling will never grow old. As the years bring the infirmities of age to us, we shall always recall his sturdy figure, his bright face and his eyes flashing with the glow of health as they last looked at us. We shall always see him young and strong, vigorously and courageously bearing his part in the battle of life.

Though his life was brief, his energy and enthusiasm crowded his years full of accomplishment. Though less than 50 years of age we find him actively identified with the interests of our community from young manhood. For more than 25 years he has been a loyal and an active citizen, giving generously of his time and means in every public cause. No civic interest ever called on him for aid in vain. In advancing the public welfare he was a leader, not a laggard. He held public office for many years. He served Prescott faithfully as city attorney. For several years he held the office of prosecuting attorney of this county. He served the Territory upon several public commissions and these long years of public service we now recall as a worthy testimonial of his ability and character. Every public interest committed to his care was ably championed. He had made thorough preparation for the profession of law and his eloquent voice, his love of justice, the honesty of his convictions, and his loyalty to his clients quickly won him a place among the leading attorneys and counselors of the State.

It is given to few men who run the full course of our allotted span of life to look back upon greater accomplishment. Though young in years, he was rich in service and experience. His work was done quietly day by day, without show or display.

He thoroughly appreciated the value of training, and education and did everything possible to prepare his children for their life's work. It was a source of great pride to him to know that two of his boys were entering the profession of law, and from many conversations with him I know the great care and efforts he made to have them thoroughly equipped. As the strength of the years comes to these sorrowing sons, they will value more and more highly the priceless gifts of training and education received from their father's hands. And the loving mother, under whose watchful care they have grown to sturdy manhood, will find their strong arms and trained minds a certain and sure source of comfort and support through the years.

Mr. Ling was one of the ablest lawyers that ever practiced in the courts of the State, popular alike with the courts and the attorneys. For though he was a dangerous opponent, and a hard fighter, he was kind and courteous to all. He was a master workman in his chosen profession.

He was a faithful member of the Elks, and we knew him to be loyal and true. As Exalted Ruler he gave our lodge one of the best administrations it ever knew. As a member of the lodge he never failed to answer the call of duty. As we mourn for him, today we hear his voice again. Throughout the State wherever Elks have gathered in the lodge room or in public meetings, his eloquent tongue has paid tribute to the principles of charity, justice, brotherly love and fidelity, and none could pay more touching tribute to the memory of those who have joined the lodge eternal.

From his own lips we know he would not have us grieve today; rather would he have us remember his cheerful voice and hearty laughter; his strong hand clasp, and eyes glowing with life and friendship; his courage that caused him to meet failure with a smile, and success, with modesty; his charity to give freely and generously, but never to ask; his sturdy spirit that caused him to fight to the end, asking quarter from none, but giving it gladly.

But above all he would have us remember his love for old Yavapai and for Arizona. You remember how we gathered only a few days ago, it seems, to wish him God speed as he went to take up his work in a larger field. You remember this as the rare occasion when his emotions overpowered him and tears almost choked his eloquent tongue to silence as he struggled to tell us that his love for Yavapai and her people, for Arizona and her citizens, would endure to the end of life, and that he would always regard Prescott as his home.

Although we gather to close the last chapter in his earthly career, he would not have us grieve today. He would have us receive new courage to go faithfully onward. In this hour we hear him again, as his cheerful voice calls to us:

"To those who passed me on the way and gave greeting, whom I may never meet again, to the friends who came my way and whose eyes lingered when they fell on mine, may you

ever be eager with youth and strong with fellowship; may you never miss a welcome nor want a comrade."

On, Brother, Neighbor and Friend, we salute you in farewell, your memory will be ever green, you who always saw the silver lining to every cloud, you who could stifle your sorrows and share your joys, you who could laugh and sing, and keep up the fight till life's rugged journey ended, farewell.

The pallbearers were: H. W. Heap, LeRoy Anderson, J. H. Robinson, E. A. Kastner, R. N. Looney and Morris Goldwater.

## TWIGGS REVEALS HIS IDENTITY BY LETTER

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

The person held at the Bethany hospital in American Falls, Idaho, awaiting identification, is none other than John A. Twigg, who left this county about three years ago, under mysterious circumstances.

A letter received from him yesterday by Van Reichard, discloses his identity beyond any question, through the signature and the handwriting. On the other hand however, it is clearly shown that Twigg is still in a dazed mental state, and his rambling thoughts would indicate that he is heroically struggling to tell who he is and is anxious to be with friends and relatives. His desires are incoherently stated, and not the slightest reference is made to individuals or localities. The letter written by him, was due to telegrams sent from this city by Mr. Reichard and other friends to Sheriff Jeffries, in whose custody he has been since last December in the above hospital, awaiting recovery of his normal condition of mind.

Twigg was assaulted and robbed at American Falls last December, and has not as yet recovered from a wound inflicted on his head at that time, when his reason was so seriously affected that he is powerless to speak his own name or give any information on matters that are of material consideration in his behalf. Twigg has relatives in Arkansas and after they are located they will be advised of the sad misfortune which has overtaken him.

## TO BUILD HIGHWAY ABOVE THE CLOUDS

LOS ANGELES, April 8.—A highway to Mt. Whitney, the highest peak in the United States, will be built if plans recommended by the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce are carried out. The California mountain is 14,502 feet in the clouds, about 400 feet higher than Pike's Peak in Colorado.

The proposed road would open up wonderful scenic territory as it would pierce the great Sequoia forest reserve for 85 miles. A preliminary estimate places the cost at approximately \$300,000. The several counties and organizations that are pushing the project are hoping for government aid, as the new highway would afford better fire protection for billions of feet of magnificent timber owned by Uncle Sam.

Surveys indicate that the summit of the towering peak could be reached by a road with a maximum grade of 10 per cent.

The view from the top is pronounced unequalled in the world by those who have made the trip on horses. Death Valley the Funeral mountains, and hundreds of lakes, streams, forests and ranges are visible. While highly desirable from a scenic viewpoint, the proposed highway is important commercially, as it would open miles of hitherto inaccessible reserve now used extensively for cattle.

## BIG FLOTATION MILL COMING FOR EUREKA

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Reports were in circulation yesterday that the 200-ton flotation mill for the Major Mining Company, had been shipped from the East and would arrive at Walker inside of 30 days.

This reduction movement was decided upon after exploration of the Eureka had practically determined ore bodies of several thousand tons, and after analyses were made the flotation type of treatment was decided upon. It is also stated that inside of 60 days the Eureka will begin a system of extensive production to meet the requirements of the heavy tonnage to be treated. Colonel Fred Bowler, general manager, has returned East on company and other mining business.

## PRESCOTT COUPLE WED IN HUMBOLDT

(From Sunday's Daily.)

Newt T. Sherman and Miss Louvina Bosley were married at Humboldt yesterday by Justice of the Peace Ben Mowday. After securing a marriage license the couple went to Humboldt by the train, looked up Justice Mowday and in a few seconds Miss Bosley had changed her name to Sherman. The bride gave her address as 135 West Carleton street, Prescott.

## MILICAN MUST GIVE WIFE \$25 BY JUNE 1

(From Sunday's Daily.)

J. W. Mulican, who is suing for a divorce from Ida Mulican, was yesterday in the Superior court given until June 1st to pay his wife \$25 with which she must stand part of the expense for her side of the suit. Mulican charges his wife with adultery, and she counter-charges with cruelty and failure to provide.

## PIONEER COPPER GROUP HAS BEEN SOLD

**THE MERRY WIDOW IS  
NOW IN NEW HANDS  
AND LARGE DEVELOP-  
MENT HAS STARTED.**

(From Friday's Daily.)

California mining operators have closed a deal for the Merry Widow group of mines, situated four miles from Mayer, in Copper Mountain district. The consideration is not known, but is reported to run to a big sum.

The former owners were W. J. Mayer and William Belford, who had performed considerable development in recent years. That the new owners propose to operate energetically was learned yesterday. Two shafts have been started and thorough exploration to great depth is to be given. Different openings made on the group have exposed a 20-foot condition of copper that gives values to as high as 20 per cent.

The reviving of this old-time property is attributed to other mines nearby making a good showing, and in which it is believed the Merry Widow forms a mineral link that extends south to the Blue Bell. The Copper Queen and the Binghamton are on the same contact. Both latter properties are ready to go ahead on big plans immediately.

## NEW MINE COMPANY ENTERS THIS FIELD

(From Saturday's Daily.)

While in the city during the week B. L. P. Porter, recently a Nevada operator, stated he would establish a camp and begin developing a group of new mines which he had acquired by purchase and location in White Picacho district, in Southern Yavapai. For over a month prospecting had been given, and one claim was spotted on which machinery will be erected at once. His equipment is en route from his old property in Nevada, of gasoline power. His son will be in charge. Mr. Porter and wife will make Prescott their future home, the latter arriving later in the month.

## EL CENTRO MAN TO WORK MANY CLAIMS

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Extensive development of half a dozen mining claims in the Big Bug district, near Mayer, is planned by W. R. Follis, of El Centro, Cal., who is in Prescott for several days. Among the claims now owned by Follis are the Merry Widow, Merry Christmas, Merry Hell and others, purchased from W. J. Mayer, et al.

Follis, formerly a prominent real estate dealer of El Centro, will finance the working of the claims himself. He says that specimens that have been assayed indicate a valuable body of ore in the various claims, which adjoin the De Soto group.

## YAVAPAI FRUIT HAS ESCAPED JACK FROST

(From Sunday's Daily.)

Reports given yesterday by arrivals from many sections of this county, where fruit raising is the principal industry, indicated that weather conditions had been decidedly favorable this Spring, and full crops are now assured. The biggest producer will be the Fair Oaks Orchard Co., and General Manager Dickerson stated yesterday that fully 15,000 boxes of apples will be the yield. Other growers in that belt will swell the output to over 8,000 boxes more. The Verde valley is reported to have the banner crop in its history.

## BIG BUG COUNTRY FACES FINE FUTURE

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

D. N. Jenkins, well known as a local mining engineer, residing at Mayer, was a brief visitor to the city yesterday en route to Jerome. He is optimistic over mining conditions along Big Bug creek. The new flotation mill movement for the Copper Queen and Binghamton mines, the wonderful showing of the Blue Bell, the Henrietta and Butternut actively operating, the custom ore works ready to start up, and many old mines revived and producing, indicate a better future than known for many years, and along lines of permanency as well. Mayer he says is in a thrifty condition, and every building is occupied.

## TUNGSTEN STRIKE SURPRISES OWNER

(From Sunday's Daily.)

Returning Friday from his camp near Wenden, Ed. Supple, who had been developing during the Winter, stated he made the unexpected discovery of what he believes to be a strong showing of tungsten in his gold-copper mines.

Supple made the discovery in a 40-foot shaft and in a claim separated from the main working point.